

PATENT  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Hiroshi Kiyokawa et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1625  
Application No.: 10/593,968 ) Examiner: Taylor V. Oh  
Filed: September 22, 2006 )  
For: Method of Producing Aminophenol ) Confirmation No.: 5650  
Compounds )

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

## **RESPONSE**

In response to the Restriction Requirement of October 2, 2008, applicants elect the invention of Group I as set forth in the Office Action.

Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application on the invention of  
Group II.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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